



Car Seat Recalls/Defects & Safety Notices - Revised 10/2/2007

This list, covering child car seats manufactured after 1/1/81, was compiled by the Safety Restraint Coalition (425) 828-8975 or 1-800-282-5587 (Washington State only). We endeavor to keep this list accurate and up-to-date however, information from manufacturers may change without our knowledge. Call the manufacturer to verify information. The most recent addition(s) are shaded.

Alkot (see Love Seat)

All Our Kids (Out of business)

Travel Vest: All models Problem: Fails flammability. Destroy!

American Motors (See Love Seat)

Angel Guard (no recalls)

c/o Mercury Distributing,
7001 Wooster Pike, Medina, OH 44256
800-815-6330 x120 www.angel-guard.com

Baby Trend (no recalls)

15675 Campus Ave, Ontario, CA
91761, 800-328-7363 www.babytrend.com

Babyhood (out of business)

Convertible Seats

Baby-Sitter Model 8200 made 1/92-6/93. **Problem:** Buckle can be hard to release. Destroy!

Wonda Chair Model 810 pre-12/82. **Problem:** Harness may be misrouted. Destroy!

Basic Comfort

455 Lincoln Street, Denver, CO 80203
800-456-8687 www.basiccomfort.com

Booster Seats

Galaxy 2000 All models Problem #1: Improperly positioned shoulder belt may increase risk of injury. **Destroy! Problem #2:** Made 11/25/98-1/31/99. Defective backs & cushions may become brittle. **Destroy!**

Bergerson Hlth Care

15 South Second Street, Dolgeville, NY 13329, 800-371-2778
www.adaptivemall.com (No Recalls)

Bobby Mac (see Evenflo)

Bolform (out of business)

Buckle Up Model 84E019 Problem: Failed crash test. Destroy!

Britax

13501 S Ridge Dr Charlotte, NC 28273,
888-427-4829 www.britaxusa.com

Infant Seats

Companion Model E9L14 made 10/31/03-6/6/04. **Problem:** Tabs on bottom of carrier may not be properly seated. If not properly seated carrier may rotate too far in crash increasing risk of injury. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for inspection instructions. If unit is affected, use carrier only without base until replaced.

Convertible Seats

Decathlon Model E9L47 made 2/12/05-7/31/07. When pulled from an extreme side angle, push button housing may separate from shell. Allowing adjuster to move out of position so harness may become difficult to tighten properly. **Call:** www.decathlonrecall.com or 800-683-2045 to request push rivet fasteners to secure adjuster to housing.

Boulevard Model E9L57 made 3/1/06-8/1/06. In crash, tether hook may open/break and release when seat is used forward facing for child over 50 lbs. If tether breaks, seat may move from upright to reclined position increasing risk of injury. **Do not use tether for child over 50 lbs. Call:** 888-427-4829 for new manual and labels.

Marathon Model E9L06 made pre-7/24/04. **Problem:** Adjustment strap may slip & allow harness to loosen. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for new strap. Until replaced, check slippage by pulling on harness without lifting release lever. If harness loosens **do not** use seat until fixed.

Wizard Model E9L07 made pre-7/24/04. **Problem:** Adjustment strap may slip & allow harness to loosen. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for new strap. Until replaced, check slippage by pulling on harness without lifting release lever. If harness loosens **do not** use seat until fixed.

Roundabout Model 161 made 1/13/99-3/14/99. **Problem:** Shell may be molded incorrectly allowing too much forward head movement. **Destroy too old!**

Advantage model E9022 made 3/5/01-7/26/01. **Problem:** Tether bracket may separate from seat in crash. **Destroy too old!**

Forward Facing Only Seats

Regent Problem #1: Advisory model beginning E9L39 made pre-6/18/07. Seat & instructions have been modified to enhance performance. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for instructions, label, longer LATCH strap, & slip-resistant strips. Use long belt path for 22-40 lbs. & short path for 40-80 lbs. Recline bar required for ALL installations. **Problem #2: Recall model E9L3998** made 12/18/06-1/18/07 with Classic fabric. Incorrect warning label on cover. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for new pad.

Freeway model 101 made 6/1/96-4/18/97. **Problem:** Buckle can be opened by lifting up on push button. **Destroy too old!**

Super Elite Problem #1: Model E9031 all dates. Harness adjuster may stick causing webbing to slip & harness to loosen. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for adjuster strap guide. Until repaired check harness is secure before use. **Problem #2: Model E9031** made 4/25/01-2/15/02. Too much forward head movement in crash on seats without HUGS harness system. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for replacement harness/comfort pads.

Husky Problem #1: Model E9L30 made pre-7/24/04. Adjustment strap may slip & allow harness to loosen. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for new strap. Until replaced, check slippage by pulling on harness without lifting release lever. If harness loosens **do not** use seat until fixed. **Problem #2: All models & manufacture dates.** Use of long (serpentine) belt path w/ lap only belt allows too much forward head movement. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for new labels & instructions.

Special Needs

Traveler Plus Model E9L32 made pre-7/24/04. **Problem:** Adjustment strap may slip & allow harness to loosen. **Call:** 888-427-4829 for new strap. Until replaced, check slippage by pulling on harness without lifting release lever. If harness loosens **do not** use seat until fixed.

C.E. White (No Recalls)

PO Box 308, New Washington, OH 44854
419-492-2157

Century (see Graco)

Champion (see Renolux)

Chicco USA (no recalls)

1842 William Penn Way Ste 101, Lancaster, PA 1760, 877-424-4226, www.chiccousa.com

Chrysler

Built-In Child Seats

Minivans Made 6/96-7/96. **Problem:** Bolts holding seat to frame can break. Contact dealer for replacement.

1998 Dodge Caravan & Grand Caravan; Plymouth Voyager, Grand Voyager, and Town & Country. Problem: Shoulder harness webbing may be incorrectly routed and fail in crash. Contact dealer for inspection/correction of harness threading.

1996-1997 Town & Country, Dodge Caravan/Grand Caravan, Plymouth Voyager/Grand Voyagers. Problem: Latch plate becomes dirty making harness release difficult. Contact dealer to clean & add emergency release extender.

Collier Keyworth (Out of business)

Safe & Sound II made 12/28/84-4/3/85. **Problem:** Buckle fails (single tongue, no writing on back). Destroy!

Columbia Medical

13368 Beach Ave, Marina Del Ray, CA 90292, 800-454-6612 (No Recalls)
www.columbiamedical.com

Combi USA, Inc.

1962 Highway 160 West, Ste 100
Fort Mill, SC 29708, 800-992-6624
www.combi-intl.com

Convertible Seats

Avatar Model 8100 made 11/03-5/04. **Problem:** Lower LATCH belt does not meet standards. In crash seat may detach from lower anchorage resulting in serious injury. **Call:** 800-992-6624. Until kit is installed, do NOT use LATCH to install use vehicle seat belt instead.

Compass

PO Box 429, Kings Mills, OH 45034
888-899-2229, www.compassbaby.com

Infant Seats

1420 Model 1420 ARD, 1420 FUO, & 1420 MAR made 5/7/06-5/15/06. **Problem:** Crotch anchor on seat bottom was installed incorrectly. In a crash, it may become dislodged allowing child to move & increasing risk of serious injury. **Call:** 888-899-2229 for repair kit & instructions.

Dorel/Cosco/Safety 1st

2525 State Street, Columbia, IN 47201 800-544-1108 www.djgusa.com

Car Beds

Dream Ride Model 02-719 (with blue/pink plaid cover) made 1/89-1/11/94. **Problem:** Cover not flame retardant. **Destroy!**

Dream Ride Ultra Model 22-001FSM made 12/01/03-4/28/04. **Problem #1: Model 22-001FSM** made 12/01/03-4/28/04. Failed testing when used rear-facing. Use only as a car-bed. **Call:** 866-611-3022 for warning label. If child needs a rear-facing seat, Dorel will replace the unit. **Problem #2: Model 02-719** made 4/94-6/95. Seat rotates too far forward in crash. **Destroy!**

Infant Seats

Comfort Problem #1: Models beginning "22-" 331 BLA, 332 RLA, 631 LNG, 630 AFD, 630 BAL, 630 FTM, 630 HPN, 630 LRS, & 630 LKM made 7/26/05-2/28/06. Handle trim screws can loosen presenting choking hazard. **Call:** 877-229-1374 or e-mail comfortinfant@djgusa.com for repair kit. **OR Problem #2: Models beginning "22-" 331, 332, 630, & 631.** Some consumers experience difficulty installing the original base. **Call:** 877-229-1374 for replacement base under this Customer Satisfaction Program or visit http://comfortinfant.djgusa.com.

Designer 22 Problem #1: Models all begin "22-" & end "GB1B" these models 625 AFD, 625 GLC, 625 EDG, 625 MAC, 325 CMB, 325 VIN, 325 DTA, 325 TST, & 300 JOS made 8/19/03-10/20/04. If harness isn't properly tightened, webbing may slip, in crash child could move too far forward increasing risk of injury. **Call:** 800-881-0570 for kit consisting of two clips & instructions. **Problem #2: Models 02-621-SAL, 02-620-AZY, & 02-620-BEA** made 1/3/02-2/13/02. Handle releases suddenly when carried seat may flip & child may fall. **Call:** 800-536-1090 for handle repair. Until installed, do not use as carrier.

Voyager (w/ stroller) made 9/8/97-10/27/97. **Problem:** When used in stroller car-

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rier may dislodge & fall. **Destroy!**

Turnabout & Arriva Models begin "02" 665, 727, 728, 729, 731, 732, 733, 750, 751, 755, 757, 774, 753, 756, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 770, 771, & 772 made pre-1/31/00. **Problem:** Handle releases suddenly when carried seat may flip & child may fall. **Destroy!** **Arriva Problem #1: Model 02-729TED** made 3/31/99-4/7/99 has no air bag warning label. **OR Problem #2: Models begin "02"** 665, 729, 731, 732, 733, 751, 756, & 757 made 3/1/95-9/9/97. Handle releases suddenly when carried seat may flip & child may fall. **OR Problem #3: 02-751 DDF or MMF** made 3/1/95-5/31/95. Latch release button & spring may separate when button is pushed. **Problems 1-3: Destroy!**

Turnabout Models begin "02" 667, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, & 765. made 3/1/95-9/9/97. **Problem:** Handle releases suddenly when carried seat may flip & child may fall. **Destroy!**

Convertible Seats

Safe-T-Shield Models 81A, 81B, 181A, 181B (w/ metal pull knobs) made 1/81-6/83. **Problem:** Push-pin holding shield may break making child difficult to remove. **Destroy!**

Safe-T-Mate Made 1984. **Problem:** Instructions show wrong rear-facing belt placement. **Destroy!**

Safe & Easy 313; Safe & Snug 323 & Luxury Safe & Snug 423. Made 1/84-6/85. **Problem:** Cracks appear where frame attaches to shell. **Destroy!**

Soft Shield: Soft Shield 02-090 & Soft Shield Deluxe 02-190, Auto Trac 02-290, Luxury 02-790 & 02-890 Made 10/89-6/90. **Problem:** Child's head goes too far forward. **Destroy!**

Deluxe Commuter Tray Shield model 02-086 Made 11/1/87-2/10/88. **Problem:** Exposed foam is choking hazard. **Destroy!**

Touriva 5-pt. Models 02-514, 02-584, & 02-518 Made 8/9/97-8/22/97 w/mold #3" on top back of shell (may need to remove locking clip on seat back to see number). **Problem:** Belt path in shell may weaken when used in forward-facing reclined position. **Destroy!**

Alpha Omega & Eddie Bauer 3-in-1 Problem #1: Models 22-150, 22-151, & 22-770. Made 10/1/05-12/31/05. Child's fingers may get caught in hole in edge of armrest shell. **Call:** 877-639-0659 for repair of voluntary safety notice. **Problem #2: Models 02-331, 02-332, 02-531, 02-533, 02-537, & 02-555.** Made 11/17/00-1/10/01. Tether webbing may be cut & separate in crash increasing risk of injury. **Destroy!**

Alpha Omega, Alpha Omega Elite, 3-in-1, Deluxe 3-in-1, Deluxe Convertible, Alpha Elite, Intera & Enspira Models 22150, 22155, 22180, 22269, 22740, 22750, 22755, 22756, 22757, 22770, 22151, 22450, 22451, 22452, 22453, 22455, 22460, 22480, & 22481 made 11/03-12/05. **Problem:** Harness adjuster may slip increasing risk of injury in crash. To check for slippage: tighten harness, pull on harness straps without pressing/lifting adjustment lever. If movement occurs, use a different seat until repaired! **Call:** 800-219-0509 for kit.

Touriva Overhead-Shield Models 02-014 & 02-015 Made 8/9/97-8/22/97 10/2/2007

with mold #3" on top back of shell (may need to remove locking to see number). **Problem:** Belt path may weaken when used in forward-facing reclined position. **Destroy!**

Touriva Safe T-Shield Problem #1: models 02-084, 02-096, 02-404, 02-094 & 02-821. Made 5/1/96-11/26/97. Buckle release is difficult. **Destroy! Problem #2:** model 02-084 made 5/6/94-8/10/94. Buckle may break & harness can loosen. **Destroy!**

Booster Seats

High Rise Model 22-297, 22-298, & 22-299. Made 10/1/03-10/31/03. **Problem:** Warning label on side of seat states the restraint is for use for children UNDER 1 year. **Call:** 866-611-3022 for new sticker stating seat is for use for children OVER 1 year.

Downunder (Out of Business) (No Recalls)

Early Development (Out of Business) (No Recalls)

Evenflo

707 Crossroads Court, Vandalia, OH 45356 800-543-8954 www.evenflo.com

Infant Seats

Embrace Models beginning 317, 320, 397, 398, 540, 548, 549, 550, 556, 597, 598, & 599. Made pre-4/8/06. **Problem:** Handle releases unexpectedly when carried may allow seat to flip and child to fall. **Call:** 800-490-7497 for repair kit. Do not use as carrier until installed.

All Cozy Carry bases. Problem: Performance of base may be improved in certain crashes. **Call:** 800-233-5921 for upgrade kit.

All Seats with Position Right Bases. Problem: ALL models Made pre-2/10/00. Posts may bend making seat difficult to attach to base. **Call:** 800-233-5921 for kit.

Infant Seat Problem #1: Models 456 & 458 made pre-4/10/89. Exceeds safe angle in most reclined position. Thread shoulder belt through plastic clip on seat back. If only lap belt, use seat only in first position. **Call:** 800-233-5921. **Problem #2: models 456 & 458** made 4/15/85-4/22/90 Black buckle seems secure when not fully latched. **Call:** 800-233-5921

Dyn-O-Mite Problem #1: models 441, 446 & 448 w/tubular steel frame made pre-2/89. Exceeds safe angle in most reclined position. Thread shoulder belt through clip on seat back. If only lap belt, use seat only in first three positions. **Call:** 800-233-5921.

Problem #2: models 202, 441-446 & 448 made 4/15/85-4/22/90 Black buckle seems secure when not fully latched. **Call:** 800-233-5921

SecureRide model 626 made 8/15/94-3/17/95. **Problem:** Air bag label improperly placed. **Call:** 800-233-5921

On My Way & Travel System car seat/stroller. Problem #1: models 207 & 492 made 12/15/95-7/27/97. Handle releases unexpectedly when carried causing seat to flip and child to fall. Do not use as carrier! **OR Problem #2: model 206** made 5/7/94-5/31/95. Cracks develop on shell. **OR Problem #3: All seats with Position Right Bases** see #2 above. **Problem #1-3 Call:** 800-233-5921

Joy Ride models 203, 205, 210, 435, & 493 made 1/1/88-12/31/98. **Problem:** Handle

releases suddenly when carried causing seat to flip & unbuckled child to fall. Do not use as carrier! **Call:** 800-233-5921.

Problem #2: When used w/ base see Travel Tandem recall below.

Travel Tandem (Joy Ride with base) Made 9/1/93-3/31/96. **Problem:** When tested with in-car base, shell broke & seat released from base. Do not use base! **Call:** 800-233-5921.

Convertible Seats

Tribute & Tribute 5 Models begin "378" or "379" made 9/8/05-9/22/05. **Problem:** Shell may crack in some types of crashes. **Call:** 800-233-5921 for replacement.

Bobby-Mac Champion 411; Bobby-Mac Deluxe 412, 414, 415 made 4/15/85-4/22/90 **Problem:** Black buckle seems secure when not fully latched. **Call:** 800-233-5921

One Step & One Step Deluxe models 401-409 & 223 made 4/15/85-4/22/90 **Problem:** Black buckle seems secure when not fully latched. **Call:** 800-233-5921

410 made 6/88-4/89. **Problem:** Ejection of child. **Call:** 800-233-5921

Triumph Problem #1: model 264 made 10/20/01-1/31/02. The slide loop connectors holding harness may not be strong enough to properly restrain child. **Call:** 800-233-5921 for safety upgrade kit.

Problem #2: model 264, 359, & 389 made 9/6/01-10/31/05. Child in seat may pull back cloth cover accessing foam liner which could become choking hazard. **Call:** 800-490-7591 or www.triumphcarseat.com for protective sleeve upgrade kit.

Guardian T-Shield models 634, 643, 653, 654 & 655 made 1/31/90-5/3/90 **Problem:** Buckle release too easy. **Call:** 800-233-5921

Ultara I Problem #1: model 420 made 9/22/88-7/1/89. Buckle hard to unlatch. **Call:** 800-233-5921. **Problem #2: model 231** made 2/8/93-8/4/93. Harness sleeve makes buckling difficult. **Call:** 800-233-5921.

Ultara II Problem #1: model 232 made 2/8/93-8/4/93. Harness sleeve makes buckling difficult. **Call:** 800-233-5921. **Problem #2: model 227** made 1/5/90-6/90. Too much forward movement. **Call:** 800-233-5921

Champion/Trooper/Scout 5-Pt. Problem #1: model 229 made 6/1/93-12/16/96. Increased risk of injury in crash. **Call:** 800-233-5921 use reclined position only. **Problem #2:** Made 10/14/96-2/6/97. Too much forward movement. **Call:** 800-233-5921.

Champion/Trooper/Scout T-Shield model 225 made 10/14/96-2/6/97. **Problem:** Too much forward movement. **Call:** 800-233-5921

Champion/Trooper/Scout Tray Shield model 224. Problem #1: made 2/8/93-8/4/93. Harness sleeve makes buckling difficult. **OR Problem #2:** made 6/1/93-11/22/96. Increased risk of chest injury. Use only in reclined position. **OR Problem #3:** made 10/14/96-2/6/97. Too much forward movement increases risk of head injury. **For Problems #1-3 Call:** 800-233-5921.

Champion/Trooper/Scout Adjust-A-Shield model 219. Problem #1: made 11/27/95-1/22/96. Toddler section of instructions labeled for Infant use. Causing user to believe Infants under 20 lbs. can ride forward-facing. **Call:** 800-233-5921. **Problem #2:** made 10/14/96-2/6/97. Too much forward movement. **Call:** 800-233-5921.

Combination Car Seats/Boosters

Seven Year Problem #1: models 453 & 454 made 2/13/87-10/31/88. Pins present choking hazard. **Call:** 800-233-5921. **Problem #2: models 453, 454, & 228** made 4/15/85-4/22/90 Black buckle seems secure when not fully latched. **Call:** 800-233-5921.

Two-in-One models 636 & 637 made 1/7/98-3/20/98. **Problem:** Back & seat base separate when used w/ harness. **Call:** 800-233-5921.

Booster Seats

Small Shield Problem #1: models 470 & 471 made 2/13/87-10/31/88. Pins on pad present choking hazard. **Call:** 800-233-5921. **Problem #2: models 471, 242** made 4/15/85-4/22/90. Black buckle seems secure when not fully latched. **Call:** 800-233-5921.

Sidekick model 244 made 4/23/96-5/20/97. **Problem:** Shield allows too much forward movement increasing risk of injury. **Call:** 800-233-5921

E-Z-On Products

605 Commerce Way West, Jupiter, FL 33458 800-323-6598 www.ezonpro.com **(No Recalls)**

F.B.S. (See Renolux)

Fisher Price

(No longer makes Car Seats)
636 Girard Ave, East Aroua, NY 14052
800-432-5437 www.fisher-price.com

Infant Seats

Model 9149 made 1/1/91-2/27/91. **Problem:** Shield can separate. **Destroy!**

Model 9173 made 9/1/94-10/31/94. **Problem:** Air bag warning label can not be seen when in front seat. **Destroy!**

Convertible Seats

Safe Embrace model 79700 made 5/19/97-3/29/98. **Problem:** Harness adjuster spring can break/dislodge. If it fails, harness may not lock. **Destroy!**

Models 9100 & 9101 T-Shield Problem #1: Affects model 9100 only made 4/85-8/85. Shield may break during use; **OR Problem #2:** made pre-1987. Strap may be missing button to keep straps from retracting too far; **OR Problem #3:** made 1/1/85-9/1/90. Button may be missing/work loose & present choking hazard; **OR Problem #4:** made 5/1/87-10/31/89. Shield may be hard to latch due to internal cracks. **OR Problem #5:** made 1985-1/26/89. White foam pad between pad & shell failed flammability tests. **OR Problem #6:** made pre-7/89. Metallic label glued to shield comes loose creating choking hazard. **OR Problem #7:** made 2/5/90-3/24/90. Possible structural weakness in metal tongue. **OR Problem #8:** made 2/8/91-1/24/92. Harness straps can come unfastened at seat back. **Problems 1-8: Destroy!**

Model 9104 Deluxe Tray Shield made 6/15/92-9/4/92. **Problem:** Red button on buckle pops up preventing latching. **Destroy!**

Ford (see Love Seat)

Freedom Ride

(Out of Business) (No Recalls)

General Motors

Built-In Child Seats

Chevrolet Oldsmobile & Pontiac vans with power sliding doors made 11/92-7/93 & 9/93-3/94. **Problem:** Needs new trim panel so belt doesn't catch in door. **Call:** vehicle dealer.

Chevrolet & GMC ML model vans made 5/96-9/97. **Problem:** Harness may be missing hidden piece & will not lock! **Call:** dealer for inspection & replacement.

Gerry (see Evenflo)

Graco

150 Oaklands Blvd Exton, PA
800-345-4109 www.gracobaby.com

Infant Seats

Graco Snuggly Models 82L02, 8402L03, 8442BLW, 8442BRN, 8442CYP, 8442GMP, 8442LBLW, 8442LCYP, 8442LMAD, 8442LMELCA, 8442MAD, 8442YL, 8444HAB, 8444LHAB, 8444LHAB-CA, 8444LHIG, 8444LKER, 8444LKERCA, 8444LPLT, 8444MEL, 8446FKB, 8446LVIN, 8446VIN, 8447JAM, 8447LHAB, 8447LHAB, 8447LJAM, 8447LLAG, 8447LNGS, 8447LNG-SCA, 8447NGS, 8448LDIA, 8448LDIACA, 8448LSAR, 8457DVB, 8458FKB, 8459VL, 8463AMB, 8463GMP, 8463GMPICA, 8463JJJ-CA, 8463JUN, 8463MAN, 8463YL, 8464MAC, 8464MACCA, 8464MEL, 8464MIC, 8464MLL, 8470BUG, 8471UVB, 8478SAR, 8601FOF, & C844342 made 3/1/02-3/8/03. Hardware may be missing to attach carrier to base. If missing carrier may not be securely attached causing injury in crash. **Call:** 800-345-4109. Until repaired use only without base. **Problem #2: models 7493CG9, 7493RS, 7497HL, 7497SY, 7499LK, 7499N2, 841101, 841102, 841103, 841203, 8412T02, 8457D5, 8457DVB, 8457F3, 8457GP, 8457IND, 8457MA, 8457MV, 8457RG, 8457TJM, 8457TMP, 8457YL, 8458A5, 8458AE, 8458B7, 8458D8, 8458FKB, 8458HE, 8458HH, 8458KY, 8458N5, 8459VL, 8460LV, 8462HAV, 8462JAM, 8471UVB, 8472BLW, 8472BRN, 8472CYP, 8472GMP, 8472MAD, 8472YL, 8474HAB, 8474MEL, 8476VIN, 8477HAV, 8477JAM, 8477NGS, & 8478SAR** made 8/31/99-2/28/02. Seat may be missing metal hooks or "U" bars attaching carrier to base. If missing, carrier may not securely attach to base causing serious injury in crash. **Destroy! Problem #3: models 840302, 8402L03, 840301, 840303, 8442GMP, 8442LBLW, 8442LCYP, 8442LMAD, 8444LHAB, 8444LHIG, 84463AMB, 8446LVIN, 8447LHAB, 8448LSAR, 8463GMP, 8463JUN, 8463YL, 8464MAC, 8464MEL, 8602AMB, 8602JUN, 8602MA, 8603MLL, 8605HIG, 8605KER, 8605PLT, 8607LAG, 8607NGS, 8608DIA, & 8609FOF** made 3/7/03-3/8/03. Seat may be missing metal hooks or "U" bars attaching carrier to base. If missing, carrier may not securely attach to base causing serious injury in crash. **Call:** 800-345-4109 until repaired do not use base.

Century Infant Seats & 4-in-1 Systems with straight handles (W-shaped handles not affected). Seats made 1/01/91-7/31/97. **Problem:** Handle releases unexpectedly when carried causing seat to flip & unbuckled child to fall. **Destroy!**

All Century Infant Seats & 4-in-1 Systems. All models beginning "45" or "11" made 9/12/95-5/13/96 (091295-051396) and having date code 255-95
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through 365-95 or 001-96 through 131-96 on buckle top (above red push button on either side of the word "Infant") are affected. **Destroy!**

580 Problem #1: models 4580, 4581, 4583, 4585 made pre-12/31/89 (8912 & lower). When adjusting or relocating straps, parents may improperly rethread through metal retention slides. In sudden stop/crash, straps will not restrain child. **Destroy! Problem #2: models 4581, 4583, & 4585** made pre-11/89 (8910 & lower). Retaining screws on handle may loosen & separate from seat. **Destroy!**

Convertible Seats

Graco ComfortSport Problem: Models 8629WTL, 8630MTR, 8631DFT, 8631DRA, 8632PSO, 8635TAC, 8639COS, 8C00BLG, 8C00DMN, 8C00GRP, 8C00LNM, 8C00MID, 8C00TMB, 8C01SVD, 8C01WTF, 8C02MGI, 8C02MRC, 8C03HAL, 8C03WGN, 8C04FRR, & 8433FOF. Made 5/2/07-7/31/07. Some seats may have Lower Anchor belt misrouted causing seat to exceed safe angle in crash. **Do NOT** use LATCH to install seat rear-facing until repaired! Instead use seatbelt. **Call:** 800-345-4109 for repair instructions.

Model 4100 & 4200 Problem #1: made 4/85-2/86 (8504-8602) w/ "mold #1" engraved above top bar. Plastic too thin under child's bottom. **OR Problem #2:** made 1/81-4/81 (8101-8104). Buttons on pad loosen presenting choking hazard. **OR Problem #3:** made 1/1/81-1/1/83 (8101-8212). Buckle release is difficult. **OR Problem #4: model 4200** made 6/81 has wrong washers. **Problems 1-4: Destroy!**

Model 4300 made 4/85-2/86 (8504-8602) w/ "mold #1" engraved above top bar. **Problem:** Plastic too thin under child's bottom. **Destroy!**

Model 4400XL Problem #1: Made 4/85-2/86 (8504-8602) w/ "mold #1" engraved above top bar. Plastic too thin under child's bottom. **Destroy! Problem #2:** Made pre-5/86, (8604 & lower). New label needed to tell if restraint is properly locked. **Destroy!**

Models 1000, 2000, 3000 & 5000 STE made 12/90-10/91 (9012-9110). **Problem:** Spanish labels have "bebes" & "ninos" transposed at belt path. **Destroy!**

SmartMove Models 44709MTE & 44709SVR made 4/9/01-5/10/01. **Problem:** When used forward-facing harness adjustment mechanism allows webbing to slip. Child may not be properly restrained. **Destroy!**

Smart Move Tray Shield model 4750 made 12/5/95-2/13/96 (120595-021396). Affected seats, have number: WO#138442-01, WO#136716-01, -02, or -03 on white label sewn to harness near splitter plate. **Problem:** latch can release when seat is forward-facing & harness is in slot closest to crotch. **Destroy!**

Encore models 44612GTN & 4662WSC01 made 4/9/01-5/10/01. **Problem:** When seat is forward-facing harness adjuster allows webbing to slip. Child may not be properly restrained. **Destroy!**

Bravo models 44622LTC, 44630LTH, 44631PFN, & 44662WSC made 4/9/01-5/10/01. **Problem:** When used forward-facing harness adjuster allows webbing to slip. Child may not be properly restrained. **Destroy!**

Accel models 45100CHT, 45100MTE, 45100STH, 45200MXM, 45600JTL, 45600MTE, 45600MTO, 45600MXM, 45600SAF, 45700GSD, & 45700LFT made 4/9/01-5/10/01. **Problem:** When seat is forward-facing, harness adjuster allows webbing to slip. Child may not be properly restrained. **Destroy!**

2000 STE T-Shield Problem #1: made pre-6/89, (8906 & lower). Shoulder straps may be glued (not sewn). Check loops at splitter plate on seat back. **Destroy! Problem #2: models 4253, 4261, 4263, 4265 & 4266** made 12/91-4/30/92, (9112-9204). Push button can fail allowing shield/harness to release. **Destroy!**

3000 STE Tray-Shield Problem #1: Fabric on shield has Velcro, child may unfasten Velcro & pull apart foam. **OR Problem #2: models 4365 & 4368** made 5/7/90-6/14/90 (9005-9006). Latch tongue breaks in crash allowing child to slip out. **OR Problem #3: models 4353, 4365, 4368** pre-1/1/91 (9101 & lower). Instructions may not advise when to switch from rear to forward latching positions. Failure to switch to forward latching position for a child more than 30 lbs. makes release difficult after crash. **OR Problem #4:** made 9/89-4/92 (8909-9204) release button rotates up in crash making buckle release difficult. Note: Some seats were repaired with defective red button. **Problems 1-4: Destroy!**

3500 STE Tray-Shield made 9/89-4/92 (8909-9204). **Problem:** Release button rotates up in crash making buckle release difficult. Note: Some seats were repaired with defective button. **Destroy!**

5000 STE Tray-Shield Problem #1: models 4450, 4460, 4470, 4475 pre-1/1/91 (9101 & lower). Instructions may not advise when to switch from rear to forward latching positions. Failure to switch to forward latching position for child more than 30 lbs. makes release difficult after crash. **OR Problem #2:** Seats made 9/89-4/92 (8909-9204). Release button rotates up in crash making buckle release difficult. Note: some seats were repaired with defective button. **OR Problem #3: models 4470 & 4475** made 5/90-6/90 (9005-9006). Latch tongue breaks in crash allowing child to slip out. **Problems 1-3: Destroy!**

5500 STE made 9/89-4/92 (8909-9204). **Problem:** Release button rotates up in crash making buckle release difficult. Note: some seats were repaired with defective button. **Destroy!**

Booster Seats

Breverra Premiere & Breverra Contour all models w/ harness made 2/1/95-7/10/98. **Problem:** Buckle can crack or break. **Destroy!**

Immi (No Recalls)

18881 US 31 North
Westfield, IN 46074, 317-896-9531

International (Out of Business)

Astroseat pre-8/81. Buckle pulls through webbing. **Destroy!**

Jupiter (No Recalls)

1399 Kennedy Road #22 Scarborough,
Ontario M1P 2L6 Canada 800-465-5795 www.jupiterindustries.com

Kantwet (see Evenflo)

Kolcraft

(No longer makes car seats)

1100 W Monroe Street, Chicago, IL
60607 800-453-7673 www.kolcraft.com

Infant Seats

Rock 'N Ride model 13123 Problem #1: made 1/85-6/85. Plastic may crack in crash. **Destroy! Problem #2:** made pre-4/90. Plastic clips attaching pad present choking hazard. **Destroy!**

Infant Restraint, Infant Car Seat, Infant Rider, Secura, Travel-About, Plus 4, Plus 5, & Playskool (some w/ strollers) models 1312x, 1382x, 1383x, 1384x, 1385x, 368xx, 43xxx, & 7700x made 1/1/93-6/30/99. **Problem:** Handle moves unexpectedly causing seat to rotate; allowing unbuckled child to fall. **Destroy!**

Infant Rider, Travel-About, Plus 4, Plus 5, & Caters Travel 5. Look for 5-digit model # beginning 131xx, 138xx, or 368xx made 3/4/96-9/30/96. **Destroy!**

Convertible Seats

Dial-A-Fit Problem #1: made 10/1/88-8/16/89. Too much forward head movement in crash. **OR Problem #2:** made pre-4/90. Buttons attaching pad break & present choking hazard. **Problems 1-2: Destroy!**

Dial-A-Fit II model 180-600 made 11/1/90-6/30/91. **Problem:** In rear-facing tests shell cracked. **Destroy!**

Perfect Fitt Problem #1: model 180-200 made pre-10/90. Failed flammability test. **OR Problem #2: models 180-150 & 180-200** made 3/1/89-10/1/90. Too much forward movement in crash increases risk of injury. **OR Problem #3:** made pre-4/1/90. White pad clips break presenting choking hazard. **Problems 1-3: Destroy!**

Traveler 700 Problem #1: made after 11/1/94. Buckle performance questionable. **OR Problem #2: model 150-100, Style 13400 & 13401** made 1/1/91-8/7/91. Shield may break. **OR Problem #3:** Dates unknown. Labels have incorrect drawings. **OR Problem #4:** made 1/24/91-6/30/93. Crotch buckle rusts. **Problems 1-4: Destroy!**

Automate T-Shield Problem #1: model 180-600 & 180-601 made 1/30/92-3/22/93. Crotch buckle rusts. **Destroy!**

Performa Tray-Shield Problem #1: made 3/96-5/31/96. Flammable cover. **Destroy! Problem #2:** made 1/26/96-7/31/97. Buckle release difficult after crash. **Destroy!**

Secure-Fit made 1/26/96-7/31/97. **Problem:** Buckle release difficult after crash. **Destroy!**

Playskool Problem #1: models 140-155 & 180-400 made 12/89-8/90. **Problem:** Flammable foam pad. **Destroy! Problem #2:** models 77001 & 77002 w/ comfort pump made 1/1/91-6/30/93. Label missing & crotch buckle rusts. **Destroy!**

Booster Seats

Flip 'N Go Problem #1: model 191-100 & 191-200 style 19127 made pre-3/19/87. Defect in shape of shield. **Destroy!**

LaRoche

(No Recalls)

PO Box 95 Gardner, MA 01440 978-632-8638 www.boosterkids.com

Lenox Juvenile Group

(No Recalls) 100 SW 52nd Ave,
Ocala, FL 34474, 888-372-0622,
www.smartchildseat.com

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Counterfeit Seat Problem: Import seat failed government crash test! If you see this seat for sale, or have purchased one, do not use. **Call:** 800-424-9393.

Little Cargo (Out of Business) (No Recalls)

Love Seats (Out of Business)

Infant Seats

Models 4477B1-4477M1 & 4477A2-4477F2. made 1/81-7/82. **Problem:** Defective plastic. Destroy!

Forward Facing Only Seats

All non-adjustable Toddler seats made 3/84-11/20/84, Lot 4477C4 (stamped on rear). **Problem:** Defective plastic. Destroy!

Mercedes Benz USA

(Child Seats manufactured by Britax)

Infant Seats

Infant Seats & Boosters made 2/97-7/99. **Problem:** Baby Smart air bag deactivation device fails to turn off passenger air bag. **Call:** Dealer for replacement.

Forward Facing Only Seats

Top Safe Child Seat made 3/1/03-11/30/03. Lower LATCH attachment may detach in crash causing injury. **Call:** Dealer for refund recall campaign #2004 120005. Use seatbelt to secure seat.

Orbit Baby (No Recalls)

37330 Cedar Blvd, Ste J, Newark, CA 94560, 877-ORB-BABY, www.orbitbaby.com

Peg-Pérego

3625 Independence Drive Fort Wayne, IN 46608 800-728-2108 www.pegperego.com

Infant Seats

All Primo Viaggio Seats/Travel Systems Problem #1: Seats w/ dark button in red circle made 5/20/01-2/15/02. Snap & fabric interfere w/ harness preventing seat from latching. **Call:** 877-737-3468 for instructions. Do not use until repaired! **Problem #2:** made 2/1/01-6/10/01. Left latch may not lock seat into base causing injury/death in crash. **Call:** 877-737-3468 for instructions.

Porsche

(Child Seats manufactured by Britax)

Porsche Child Restraint for '97-'98 Boxters, 911 Carrera, Carrera S, 911 Carrera 4, 4S & 911 Turbo. **Problem:** Air bag deactivation may not work. Air bag may deploy. **Call:** Dealer, do not use until repaired.

Playschool (see Kolcraft)

Pride Trimble (see Evenflo)

Convertible Seats

Model 832, made 1/88-4/89. **Problem:** Using optional armrest, head moves too far forward in crash. **Destroy!**

Booster Seats

Click 'n Go model 890, 891 & 892 made 2/86-10/87. **Problem:** Failed testing. **Destroy!** 10/2/2007

ProRider Children &

Safety Program

1620 Industry Drive SW #C Auburn, WA 98001 800-642-3123 www.prorider.com (No Recalls)

Questor (See Evenflo)

Recaro (No Recalls)

3275 Lapeer Road West Auburn Hills, MI 48326 800-328-7363 (Baby Trend) www.recaro-nao.com

Renolux (Out of Business)

Convertible Seats

GT-1000 #69985, made 1/85-1/86. **Problem:** Rear-facing failed test. **Destroy!**

GT-2000 Problem #1: made 1/1/92-1/31/93, foam compresses too much. **OR Problem #2:** made 5/89-6/9/93, fail flammability test. **OR Problem #3:** made 8/15/88-10/31/88 (also labeled Champion Children's Products GT-1000 or F.B.S. model 200). Buckle releases too easily & seat is too reclined when rear-facing. **Problems 1-3:** Destroy!

GT-4000 Problem #1: made 1/1/92-1/31/93, foam compresses too much in crash. **Destroy! Problem #2:** made 5/89-6/9/93 fail flammability test. **Destroy!**

GT-5000 or model 500 Turn-A-Tot Problem #1: made 2/18/90-4/29/91 base allows too much forward movement in crash; fail flammability test. **OR Problem #2:** made 1/1/92-1/31/93, foam compresses absorbing crash impact; base allows too much forward movement in crash; fail flammability test. **OR Problem #3:** made 5/89-6/9/93 fail flammability test. **Problems 1-3:** Destroy!

GT-5500 Problem #1: made 1/1/92-1/31/93, foam compresses too much in crash. **Destroy! Problem #2:** made 5/89-6/9/93, fail flammability test. **Destroy!**

GT-7000 all models. Problem #1: made 1/1/92-1/31/93 foam compresses too much in crash. **OR Problem #2:** Remote attachment can overheat & smoke increasing risk of fire. **OR Problem #3:** made 5/89-6/9/93, fail flammability test. **Problems 1-3:** Destroy!

Safe Traffic System Inc.

(No Recalls)

6600 North Lincoln Ave, Ste 410, Lincolnwood, IL 60712, 847-329-8111 www.safetrafficsystem.com

Safeline Kids (See Tripleplay)

Safety Angel (No Recalls)

PO Box 740151 Boynton Beach, FL 33474, 888-743-3798, www.safetyangel.com

Safety Baby (see Combi)

Safety First (See Dorel)

Snug Seat

12801 E Independence Blvd, Stallings, NC 28105 800-336-7684x117 www.team-tex.com

Special Needs

Gorilla 200-1000 made 6/26/02-1/15/03. **Problem:** Washer on tether may rust. In crash, tether may break causing injury. **Call:** 800-336-7864 for new washer.

Spelcast 600-1000 made 6/26/02-1/15/03.

Problem: Washer on tether may rust. In crash, tether may break causing injury. **Call:** 800-336-7864 for new washer.

Travler Plus See Britax

Strolee (Out of Business)

Convertible Seats

Wee Care 599 made 12/15/80-5/29/81.

Problem: Clips on armrest present choking hazard. Destroy!

Models 609 & 610 Problem: Plastic may crack. Destroy!

GT-3000 made 1987-88. **Problem:** Seat failed crash test rear-facing. Destroy!

Booster Seats

Quick-Click 605 w/ 4/85 stamped on seat bottom. **Problem:** Failed crash test. Destroy!

Sunshine Kids (No Recalls)

25612 74th Ave South, Kent, WA 98032, 888-336-7909

www.sunshinekidsjp.com

Triple Play Products

720 Centre Ave Reading, PA 19601 800-829-1625

www.tripleplayproducts.com

Convertible Seats

Sit 'n' Stroll Problem #1: Model 2003 made 9/1/02-10/21/03. When used w/ lower seat belt path or when shoulder & buckle pads are used, too much forward head movement. Pads may interfere w/ ability to tighten harness. Parents should remove & discard shoulder & buckle pads & use only upper forward-facing belt path. **OR** for revised labels & manual. **Problem #2: model 2240** made 4/01-10/01. Certification label printed in yellow instead of red. **OR** for new label. **Problem #3: model 3240** made 11/1/96-6/30/99. Incorrect rear-facing weight limit on label. **OR** Use seat rear-facing only up to 22 lbs. **Problem #4: model 3240** made 6/9/97-8/9/97. Missing air bag warning label. **Problems 1-4 Call:** 800-829-1625.

T.R.W. (See Love Seat)

Tumble Forms (No Recalls)

Sammons Preston 4 Sammons Court Bolingbrook, IL 60440, 800-323-5547 www.tumbleforms.com

Virco (see Pride Trimble)

Volvo Cars North America

Seven Volvo Drive Rockleigh, NJ 07647 www.volvocars.com

All child seats! Problem: Child can open buckle too easily. Return seat to dealership.

XSci (Out of Business)

All Air bag Compatible Infant

Seats made 2/1/02-3/7/02. **Problem:** In crash, child's head moves too far forward & cradle may detach causing injury or death. Do not use! **Destroy!**